

REMARKS

Applicants appreciate the Examiner's thorough examination of the present application as evidenced by the Final Office Action of July 24, 2008 (hereinafter "Final Action"). Applicants especially appreciate the allowance of Claims 1 – 13 and 19 – 24. The sole remaining issue is the rejection of Claims 14 – 18 under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph. (Final Action, page 2). On September 23, 2008, Applicants' representative, Scott Moore (Reg. No. 42,011) discussed the rejection of Claims 14 – 18 under Section 112 with the Examiner and it was agreed to amend Claims 14 – 17 as indicated above to remove any possibility of confusion with respect to the generation of the various clock signals and error signals and their relationships to each other. Applicants respectfully request that the present remarks constitute an Interview Summary pursuant to MPEP §713.04.

In light of the above amendments and remarks, Applicants respectfully submit that the above-entitled application is now in condition for allowance. Entry of this amendment and favorable reconsideration of this application, as amended, is respectfully requested. If, in the opinion of the Examiner, a telephonic conference would expedite the examination of this matter, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney at (919) 854-1400.

Respectfully submitted,



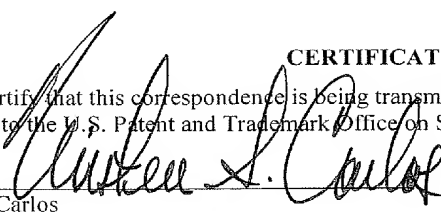
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